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ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. Amendment with request for extension and authorization to charge deposit account (one month-large entity)**
- 2. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) with authorization to charge deposit account for large entity fee**

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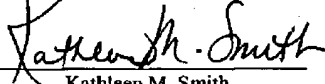
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: **Amendment**
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Final Rejection mailed April 13, 2004. A Request for Continued Examination accompanies this Amendment.

Request for Extension of Time

Applicants request a one-month extension of time from July 13, 2004 to the date hereof to submit this response. The Commissioner may charge Deposit Account 50-2213 for the requisite one-month large entity extension fee of \$110.00.

Applicants are no longer entitled to claim small entity status.

Please amend the application as follows: